

REMARKS

As required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, the corrected section, i.e. "Amendments to the Claims" of the non-compliant amendment is being resubmitted for consideration. Specifically, Claims 1-13 denoted by the status identifier "canceled" are now listed in the "Amendments to the Claims" section.


Claims 1, 2, 4, 6-8 were canceled in Applicants' "Preliminary Amendment For CPA" filed April 5, 2002. Claims 3, 5, 9-11, and 13 were canceled as drawn to a non-elected invention in Applicants' response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2001 (Paper No. 28). Claim 12 was canceled in Applicants' response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 1997 (Paper No. 9).

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